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## BEFORE THE DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

In the Matter of Application Number 3788 of Modjeska Ranch Company to appropriate from Harding Creek in Orange County for Domestic Purposes.

> DECISION NO. 3788. D 35 Decided January 16, 1925

## APPEARANCES AT HEARING HELD NOVEMBER 26. 1924.

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Water Company.

Examiner:

Edward Hyatt, Jr., Chief of Division of Water Rights.

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## OPINION

On January 7, 1924, Modjeska Ranch Company filed its application Number 3788 to appropriate unappropriated water from Harding Greek in Orange County for domestic uses on a subdivision, the amounts specified being 0.40 cubic feet per second between November 1st and June 1st and 17 acre feet per amoum to be collected between November 1st and June lst.

This application was completed in accordance with the Water Commission Act and the requirements of the Rules and Regulations of the Division of Water Rights and, being protested, was set for a public hearing in Room Number 818 Pacific Finance Building, Los Angeles, at 10:00 o'clock a.m. on November 26, 1924. Of this hearing applicant and protestants were duly notified and appearances were made on behalf of each record party at interest.

At the hearing the only evidence introduced was information in connection with the project covered by the application and between the commencement and closing of the hearing an agreement was reached as a result of which all protests against the application would be withdrawn in accordance with the terms of a stipulation to be executed and filed with the Division of Water Rights.

On December 24, 1924, a stipulation and agreement, duly executed by the various parties at interest, was filed which provides for a certain amendment in the application and withdrawal of all protests then standing against the application. In accordance therewith the amount specified in the application has been reduced to 0.05 cubic foot per second.

## ORDER

Application Number 3788 for a permit to appropriate unappropriated water having been filed with the Division of Water Rights as above stated, protests having been filed, a public hearing having been held, and the Division of Water Rights now being fully informed in the premises:-

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Application Number 3788 be approved

and that a permit be granted to applicant subject to such of the usual terms and conditions as may be appropriate.

Dated at Sacramento, this 16th day of January

1925.

Chief of Division of Water Rights
Department of Public Works

State of California